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Subj: CH-5 TO COMDTINST M16000.11 (SERIES), MARINE SAFETY MANUAL,  
VOLUME VI, PORTS AND WATERWAYS ACTIVITIES

1. PURPOSE. This Notice advises personnel assigned to Ports and Waterways Activities duties of the latest updated list of U.S. delegated authorities. Two new companies have been approved as delegated authorities and one existing company has had their approval rescinded.
2. ACTION. Area and district commanders, commanders of maintenance and logistics commands, commanders of Headquarters units, shall ensure compliance with the provisions of this Notice.
3. SUMMARY OF CHANGES. This change is a updated list of U.S. delegated authorities.
4. PROCEDURES. Remove and insert the following pages:

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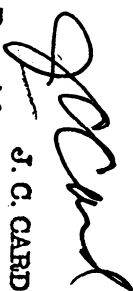
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5. DOCUMENTATION. Date and sign the Record of Changes. File this notice with the manual as a record of changes.



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C:m New York (10); Sturgeon Bay (3).

D:b National Strike Force Coordination Center (1) (only).

D:d New York (6) (extra).

D:k New York (3); Jacksonville, New Orleans, Houston, San Francisco (1) (extra).

D:l CG Liaison Officer U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, CG Liaison Officer MILSEALIFTCOMD (Code N-7CG), CG Liaison Officer RSPA (DHM-22), CG Liaison Officer MARAD (MAR-742), CG Advisor Panama Canal Commission, CG Liaison Officer American Samoa, CG Advisor NWC, CG Liaison Officer JUSMAGPHIL, CG Liaison Officer (IMO) London, CG Consultant (IMO/SAID) Caribbean, CG Attache US DAO Bogota, CG Liaison World Maritime University, CG Liaison Officer ABS, Maritime Liaison Office Commander U.S. Naval Forces Central Command (1).

E:o New York (15); Grand Haven (4); Long Island Sound (2); Sault Ste. Marie (2).

F:j Except Tampa.

ABS (1).

DOJ Torts Branch (Washington, DC; New York; San Francisco only) (1).

MARAD (MRG 4700) (1).

MSC (M-24) (1).

NOAA Fleet Inspection Officer (1).

NTSB (Marine Accident Division) (2).

World Maritime University (2).

U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, NY (1).



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the freight container, obvious damage to the container and/or its contents) under the exigent circumstances exception. The inspector must reasonably believe that the leaking or damage involves hazmat, or otherwise poses a significant risk of injury to persons or damage to property.

G. References.. The following is a list of references that may be used by marine safety personnel in implementing local inspection programs for containerized hazardous materials:

1. Hazardous Materials Transportation Act (HMTA) (49 U.S.C. 1801, et seq.) as amended
2. Ports and Waterways Safety Act (PWSA) (33 U.S.C. 1221, et seq.)
3. The International Safe Container Act (ISCA) (46 U.S.C. 1503)
4. International Convention for Safe Containers (ISC) including 1981 and 1983 amendments
5. International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code, by the International Maritime Organization
6. 49 CFR Parts 100 - 180
7. 49 CFR Parts 450 - 453
8. 33 CFR Part 126
9. 33 CFR Part 160
10. Competent Authority Notice on Container Packing Certificates, published by the Research and Special Programs Administration (RSPA), Department of Transportation, Federal Register Vol.58, No.249, December 30, 1993
11. COMDTINST 16200.3A, Civil Penalty Procedures and Administration
12. "A Shipper's Guide for Proper Stowage of Intermodal Containers in Ocean Transport,\*\* by the National Cargo Bureau
13. "A Shipper's Guide to Stowage of Cargo in Marine Containers," by the U.S. Maritime Administration

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14. "Guide for Container Equipment Inspection" (Fourth Edition), by the Institute of International Container Lessors, LTD., Bedford, N.Y.
15. "IMO/ILO Guidelines for Packing Cargo in Freight Containers or Vehicles," by the International Maritime Organization
16. "IMO Code of Safe Practice for Cargo Stowage and Securing" by the International Maritime Organization
17. Bureau of Explosives Pamphlet No. 6c, "Approved Methods for Loading and Retaining Shipments of Hazardous Materials for Trailer/Container on Flat Car Movements"
18. "Cargo Containers - Their Storage, Handling and Movement," by Herman D. Tabak, Cornell Maritime Press Inc.
19. "Ocean Container Transportation: An Operational Perspective," by Mark L. Chadwin, James A. Pope, and Wayne K. Talley, Taylor & Francis, New York, NY (1990)
20. "Intermodal Freight Transportation," by Gerhardt Muller, Eno Foundation for Transportation, Inc.

H. Delegate Approval Authorities For Containers. The below organizations have been delegated authority by the Commandant (G-MSO), U.S. Coast Guard, to approve containers as complying with the International Safe Container Act in accordance with Title 49, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 450. This list is current as of August 9, 1996.

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>APPROVAL DATE</u>
1. American Bureau of Shipping ATTN: Mr. Aris Antoniou 16855 Northchase Dr. Houston, TX 77060-6008 Tel: (713) 873-5200 Fax: (713) 874-9553	AB	6 Jun 78

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2. ABS Industrial Verification Services, Inc. ATTN: Mr. Aris Antoniou 16855 Northchase Dr. Houston, TX 77060-6008 Tel: (713) 873-5200 Fax: (713) 874-9553	AT	6 Jun 78
3. International Cargo Gear Bureau, Inc. ATTN: Mr. Charles G. Visconti 17 Battery Place New York, NY 10004 Tel: (212) 425-2750 Fax: (212) 269-9469	IB	6 Jun 78
4. Marine Container Equipment Certification Corp ATTN: Capt. M. W. Allen 160 Squankum Yellowbrook Road Farmingdale, NJ 07727 Tel: (908) 938-6622 Fax: (908) 938-6972	MC	6 Jun 78
5. B. A. Bodenheimer & Co., Inc. ATTN: Mr. Bert A. Bodenheimer 456 Glenbrook Rd. Stamford, CT 06906 Tel: (203) 324-1188 Fax: (203) 324-6993	BA	17 Nov 78
6. Container Transport Technology ATTN: Mr. P. W. Shahani P. O. Box 99 Annandale, NJ 08801 Tel: (908) 735-6676 Fax: (908) 735-2160	CT	27 Dec 79
7. Intermodal Transportation Services, Inc. ATTN: Mr. E. Matthew Marks Linden Plaza 9 Campus Drive Parsippany, NJ 07054-4476 Tel: (201) 993-3634 Fax: (201) 993-5749	IT	15 Sep 80

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<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>APPROVAL DATE</u>
8. C. R. Cushing & Co., Inc. ATTN: Mr. Charles R. Cushing 18 Vesey Street New York, NY 10007 Tel: (212) 964-1180 Fax: (212) 285-1334	CR	8 Sep 81
9. R. J. Del Pan & Co., Inc. ATTN: Mr. Lee A. Del Pan No. 501 Don Alfonso Sycip Bldg. U.N. Avenue Corner L. Guerrero Street Ermita, Manila Philippines Tel: 5220066; 5210178; or 5210180 Fax: (632) 5210367	DP	10 Mar 82
10. Hodges Transportation, Inc. Nevada Automotive Test Center ATTN: Mr. Henry C. Hodges, Jr. P. O. Box 234 Carson City, NV 89702 Tel: (702) 882-3261 Fax: (702) 882-3264	NA	24 Oct 88
11. Silver Inspection Services ATTN: Mr. James R. Silver 2810 Todville Road P. O. Box 1124 Kemah, TX 77565 Tel: (713) 474-7968 Fax: (713) 474-7840	SI	29 Jun 95
12. The Hartford Steam Boiler and Insurance Company ATTN: Mr. Timothy C. Healy One State Street Hartford, CT 06102 Tel: (203) 722-5150 Fax: (203) 722-5530	HB	11 Dec 95

I. Rescinded Delegation Approval Authority For Containers. The below organization has had its delegation authority rescinded by the Commandant(G-MSO), U.S. Coast Guard, to approve containers as complying with the International Safe Container Act in accordance with Title 49, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 450. This list is current as of August 9, 1996.



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<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>DATE</u> <u>APPROVAL RESCINDED</u>
1. Omnimodal, Inc. ATTN: Mr. Peter Canelis 1A Boxwood Road Port Washington, NY 11050 Tel: (915) 597-8641	OM	13 DEC 95





